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Re: RRG Clayton Chemical Site
Soil Removal

Dear Mr. Turner,

Von Weise Gear Company has received and acknowledges the notice of potential liability letter dated September 27, 2005 for the RRG Clayton Chemical Site (Site) from US EPA. This letter has been passed onto Invensys, the previous owner of the Von Weise Gear Company.

Tecumseh Products Company from Invensys acquired Von Weise Gear Company on December 30, 2002. As part of the acquisition agreement, Tecumseh Products Company received indemnification for certain environmental liability issues. The potentially responsible party for this Site, Invensys or Tecumseh Products Company, has yet to be determined, and is under review by legal counsel.

Should you have any questions or need to contact me please do so at the above address.

Sincerely,
TECUMSEH PRODUCTS COMPANY

Kerry DeKeyser

CC: Daryl McDonald, Esquire Tecumseh Products Company